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## Iowa Academy and Teacher Recognition

*The Iowa Academy will sponsor a teacher recognition ceremony. The AAPT and the OBTA selections will be recognized at this ceremony along with the selection of Iowa Section of ACS science teacher. This will be the first year for these three teacher recognition.*

## Other Teacher Recognition Programs

*This year will mark the fourth year for NABT's Outstanding Biology Teacher Award program. Mr. Cameron Christiansen of Rockwell City is the state director for 1965. Nominations or recommendations for this program should be directed to Mr. Christiansen.*

*The Iowa Section of ACS will again sponsor its science teacher award. Dr. Richard Campbell of the University of Iowa's Chemistry Program is chairman of the committee this year. Inquiries concerning this ACS program should be directed to Dr. Campbell.*

## Iowa Section of AAPT to Sponsor Physics Teacher Recognition Program

*The Iowa Section of AAPT voted at their Executive Council meeting in December to sponsor an on-going teacher award and recognition program for secondary teachers of physics.*

*The award shall be called an Outstanding High School Physics Teacher Award.*

*The award shall be a certificate suitable for framing plus a cash award (if support can be obtained). The award shall be made by the Iowa Academy of Science at its 1965 Spring Meeting.*

*The purpose of the award shall be to recognize and enhance superior teaching of physics in the state of Iowa.*

*Nominations for the award shall be open to all teachers of physics in public, private, and parochial secondary schools in the state of Iowa.*

*Among criteria to be considered in selection of a candidate for the award are the following:*

- a. quality of teaching*
- b. motivation of students*
- c. readiness to keep abreast of new advances in the field*
- d. interest in the teaching profession*
- e. ability to cope with a difficult teaching situation*

*Nomination must be made by February 15. All nominations should be forwarded to Sister Mary Briant, Clarke College of Dubuque.*

## BSCS AREA MEETING

An area meeting of the Biological Sciences Curriculum Study (BSCS) committee under the direction of Mr. Koch, will meet on Saturday, February 27, at the Roosevelt High School in Des Moines. The meeting will start at 9:00 a.m. Of the two general sessions, the first will provide an overall look at all BSCS materials. The second session will deal with teacher preparation for BSCS on the college level. **Please write Mr. Koch at Roosevelt High School if you plan to attend.**

## PRESENT A PAPER AT DUBUQUE THIS SPRING!

The Iowa Academy of Science will meet in Dubuque on April 23 and 24. The special Science Teachers' Section needs papers from the science teachers in Iowa. A favorite teaching device of yours, a new teaching technique, or anything else that would be of interest is welcomed. Send title of your paper to David Fagle, Section Chairman, Marshalltown Community College, Marshalltown, Iowa.